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C O N F I D E N T I A L GEORGETOWN 1853

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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: EMIN EIND PFOR GY
SUBJECT: TALKS WITH REYNOLDS

REF: GEORGETOWN 1827

1. AS OF MID-AFTERNOON DEC 19 REYNOLDS' LOCAL MANAGER HAD NOT YET RECEIVED LETTER ASKING THAT TALKS BE INITIATED. HOWEVER, HAS SEEN DRAFT.

2. MANAGER INDICATED DRAFT LETTER IS IN EXTREMELY LOW KEY. WILL BE ADDRESSED TO HIM AND SIGNED BY PERMANENT SECRETARY IN MINISTRY OF ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES RATHER THAN BY MINISTER HIMSELF. IN BRIEF TWO PARAGRAPHS, LETTER REMINDS COMPANY THAT GOG POLICY ON BAUXITE IS TO HAVE OWNERSHIP OF MINIMUM 51 PERCENT OF EQUITY AND CONTROL OVER MANAGEMENT COMMENSURATE WITH SUCH EQUITY AND ASKS THAT DISCUSSIONS BE INITIATED SO THAT GOG CAN PLAN FOR FUTURE OPERATIONS OF INDUSTRY.

3. REYNOLDS MANAGER SUGGESTS DISCUSSIONS COULD BE USEFUL FROM COMPANY POINT OF VIEW SINCE WOULD PROVIDE OPPORTUNITY PRESENT COMPANY'S CASE ON GOG FAILURES AND OMISSIONS. UNABLE DO THIS HERETOFORE ALTHOUGH HAS SOUGHT OPPORTUNITIES.

4. MANAGER ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT COMPANY OF COURSE "WOULD NOT AGREE" TO PARTICIPATION ENVISAGED BY GOG. KING
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